AMENDMENTS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application. Please amend Claim 1 as shown below showing additions and deletions from the original claims.

- 1. (Currently amended) A safety electric heating cooker comprises an outer shell, a cooker bowl and interlaid backstops which are made of heat-resistant materials; and a cooker bowl, wherein, said cooker further comprises interlaid backstops which are made of heat-resistant materials; said backstops are installed between said outer shell and said cooker bowl, wherein said backstops may be installed on the inner surface or at the bottom of the inner surface of said outer shell; said cooker bowl is shrinked radially at its bottom part which is in the shape of a step or a conical cylinder, and said cooker bowl is supported on said backstops whereby air gap is generated between said outer shell and said cooker bowl.
- 2. (Original) A safety electric heating cooker according to claim 1, wherein said backstops may be a ring installed on said shell.
- (Original) A safety electric heating cooker according to Claim 1, wherein said backstops
 may be constructed by at least two pieces of blocks annularly distributed on said outer
 shell.
- 4.-9. (Cancelled).